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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: : Group: 1653  
JACQUES BAUER et al :  
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New York, N.Y. 1006  
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**AMENDMENT**

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the defective notice of February 26, 2003, please amend this  
application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Page 28, please rewrite line 10 as follows:

-- Ac-Ile-Glu-Ala-Arg-p-nitroaniline (SEQ ID No: 1)→Ac-Ile-Glu-Ala-Arg (SEQ ID No: 1)+ p-nitroaniline--

Page 39, please rewrite lines 21 to 35 as follows:

--Antigen: Pb CS (HHHHHHGGMN NKNNNNDDSY

IPSAEKILEFVKQIRDSITE EWSQCNVTCG SGIRVRKRKRG

SNKKAEDLTL EDIDTEI) (SEQ ID No.2) peptide, hereinafter referred to as His<sub>6</sub>-242-

310 amino acid sequence of Plasmodium berghei circumsporozoite ANKA strain surface  
protein plus an N-terminal stretch of 6 histidine, 2 glycine and one methionine residues